Implementation of Three-Language Formula

913. SHRI ALADI ARUNA alio. ARUNACHALAM; Will the Minister o: HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) which Hindi Speaking States have effectively implemented the three-language formula;

(b) the number of students likely to be benefited thereby; and

(c) which Southern languages axe taught under the above scheme in the Hindi speaking States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI); (a) All the Hindi speaking States have in principle, accepted the Three Language Formula, but there have been some deviations in implementation.

(b) According to the National Policy on Education, 1968 the three-language formula, which has been reiterated in the National Policy on Education-1986, is to be implemented at the secondary stage. Th$_e$ number of students at this stage in the Hindi speaking States, according to the Selected Educational Statistics, 1983-84 is about 38 lakhs.

(c) In the Hindi speaking States, Malayalam, Kannada, Telugu and Tamil are being offered in some areas as one of the languages under the Three Language Formula.

Electrification of railway lines

914, SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government ar$_e$ considering the electrification of railway lines in this country;

(b) whether some work in thU re gard has been dona if ao, ia whicii sections of tbe Railwaya; „^

(c) whether Government propose t$_0$ set up railway captive power stations in the eiectrified sections, and

(d) if so, what are the details ia this regard and th$_e$ progress made se far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (ft) Yes, Sir.

(fa) A statement is attached. [Set Statement attached with answer to Unstarred Question, 903(a) supra]

(c) No, Sir,

(d) Does not arise.

Air services to Nanded city

915. SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAV-RAO JADHAV: SHRI RAM CHANDRA VIKAL:

Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government'g consideration for starting daily Vayudoot service on Bombay-Aurangabad-Nandad route; and

(b) whether Nanded city is likely to be linked by Indian Airlines in the near future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) The capacity presently provided by thrice weekly Vayudoot service on Bombay-Aurangabad-Nanded route is considered adequate to cater to the existing traflic demand

(b) No, Sir.